Wooden Casket From Sainte Lucie Wood - Workshop Of César Bagard - 17th Century



1 800 EUR

Signature : Atelier de César Bagard

Period : 17th century

Condition : Bon état

Width : 29 cm

Height : 10 cm

Depth : 22,5 cm

Description

Charming
rectangular casket in Sainte Lucie wood, carved on all sides and on
the ogee-shaped lid, with a rich decoration of scrolls, arabesques,
small flowers, and plant motifs.
The
abundance and finesse of the ornamentation allow us to attribute this
very attractive casket to the sculptor César Bagard (1620-1709).
Sainte
Lucie wood is a reddish-hued wood from a variety of cherry tree. Its
name originates from a convent - Sainte-Lucie-du-Mont -
located in the hills above Sampigny in the Meuse

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region, where, in
the 17th century, a craft developed for religious
objects made from
this wood, which was found in abundance around
the convent.

It is
also known as "Bagard wood" after the famous
sculptor from
Nancy, César Bagard (1620-1709), who crafted
some very beautiful
objects from it during the second half of the 17th
century, as
evidenced by our box.

Dimensions:
W. 29 cm x D. 22.5 cm x H. 10 cm
Sainte
Lucie wood
France -
Sampigny region in Lorraine
Late 17th
century